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Applicants hereby submit the attached Amendment (14 pp.) for entry in the above-identified application.

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as listed in the following, and as set forth on the following pages:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS; and

REMARKS are included following the amendments.